

S. S. Smith

REPORT

OF THE

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

OF THE

Town of Enfield,

INCLUDING A REPORT FROM THE

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE,

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1879.

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WARRANT

—FOR—

ANNUAL MEETING.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[L. S.] To the inhabitants of the town of Enfield qualified to vote in town affairs. You are hereby notified to meet at the Town House in said town on Tuesday the eleventh day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects :

- 1st. To choose a moderator to preside in said meeting.
- 2d. To choose three Selectmen, Town Clerk, Overseer of the poor, Town Treasurer and Superintending School Committee.
- 3d. To choose all other necessary town officers and agents for the year ensuing.
- 4th. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the year ensuing.
- 5th. To see how much money the town will raise for the support of schools for the year ensuing.
- 6th. To see how the town will divide the school money for the year ensuing.
- 7th. To see how much money the town will raise to repair highways for the year ensuing.
- 8th. To see if the town will direct the Selectmen in regard to the amount of compensation per hour to be allowed for labor on the highway.
- 9th. To see if the town will raise or appropriate a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars, for the purpose of purchasing

two new hearses, one to be located at Enfield Centre, and one at North Enfield.

- 10th. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen or choose an agent to purchase the same.
- 11th. To see if the town will choose two suitable persons to take the care of the said hearses and attend with them wherever their use is required.
- 12th. To see if the town will vote to disannex the taxable property of Wallace Putnam from district No. 2 and annex the same to District No 1 for school purposes.
- 13th. To see if the town will vote to dispense with the town Liquor Agency.
- 14th. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Given under our hands and seal this 22nd day of February, 1879.

J. G. SPENCER,	}	Selectmen of Enfield.
JOHN H. STEVENS,		
J. S. PILLSBURY,		

A true copy of warrant. Attest:

J. G. SPENCER,	}	Selectmen of Enfield.
JOHN H. STEVENS,		
J. S. PILLSBURY,		

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

We, the undersigned, Auditors for the town of Enfield, have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and Overseer of the Poor, for the year ending March 1st, 1879, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for, and submit the following report.

A. M. BRYANT, }
G. W. BURNHAM, } Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Wyman Pattee, Treasurer :—

Dr.

Cash on hand as per 1878 Report,	\$1898 47
Rec'd of J. F. Jones, Taxes of 1876,	150 00
" " " 1877,	1075 00
Wallace Putnam, Taxes of 1878,	8825 00
J. G. Spencer, Wilkins Pauper claim,	5 52
" " County Orders,	33 00
William Walcott, " "	463 95
Coupons Gage fund,	150 00
On notes given during year,	6504 74
Rail Road Tax 1878,	1814 03
Savings Bank Tax 1878,	1049 33
Literary Fund 1878.	132 09
J. S. Lovejoy, Liquor Agent,	52 48
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	\$22,153 60

Wyman Pattee, Treasurer:—

C.R.

Paid State Tax,	\$1816 00
County Tax,	2501 65
Wm. Walcott, Overseer of Poor,	1325 00
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	\$5642 00

DAMAGE ON SHEEP.

Paid H. A. Nichols,	\$4 00
Lorenzo Currier,	3 00
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	\$7 00

DAMAGE ON HIGHWAYS.

Paid A. A. Cox to settle Kenney suit,	\$62 50
J. L. Spring, services “ “	30 00
I. B. Sargent,	7 00
G. H. Sargent,	3 00
A. A. Cox,	2 50
J. H. Morse,	20 00
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	\$125 00

WATER TROUGHS.

Paid T. Manchester, 13 months,	\$2 12
J. Huntoon,	2 00
A. C. Jones,	2 00
Hiram Gage,	2 00
Louisa Packard,	2 00
Henry Cummings,	2 00
T. E. Furnald,	2 00
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	\$14 12

BOUNTIES.

Paid bounty on 22 hawks,	\$4 40
bounty on 12 foxes,	6 00
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	\$10 40

REPAIRING HIGHWAYS.

Bills 1877-78.		J. H. Quimby	\$1 40
J. A. Little.	\$3 38	L. B. Purmort,	20 55
H. W. Truell,	11 75	J. H. Stevens,	18 00
Bills 1878-79.		F. P. Haskins,	23 65
C. L. Clark,	3 75	T. J. Carlton,	32 20
B. W. Clough,	17 72	D. M. Stevens,	8 75
W. H. Moody,	11 00	D. G. Dustin,	22 45
N. A. Huntley,	47 59	S. E. Follansbee,	32 38
Henry Cross,	18 87	Edward Powers,	1 50
D. C. Avery,	27 94	S. Horton,	3 30
John Dresser,	18 75	Henry Cummings,	1 30
E. R. Dustin,	18 50	H. C. Baker,	55 38
B. W. Pinney,	1 75	Harry Huse,	7 60
Orson Day,	44 90	Smith Marston,	9 25
A. C. Lovejoy,	4 40	J. A. Little,	5 17
John Dresser, on John Colby road,			15 00
J. H. Stevens, Bridge N. F. Shakers,			21 00
C. H. Stevens, " " " "			6 25
Rufus Webster, Bridge Huse and Berry's shop,			1 58
N. S. Holt, " " " "			10 60
J. G. Spencer, " " " "			7 00
B. W. Clough, Winship Bridge,			18 05
J. S. Pillsbury, on Turnpike,			6 00
John Bradford, labor and material on Shaker Bridge,			427 63
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			\$986 29

MATERIALS FOR HIGHWAY.

C. L. Clark,	\$1 20	J. A. Little,	\$2 88
M. P. Burpee,	17 00	S. R. Truell,	19 82
E. O. Williams,	10 45	G. B. Noyes,	6 47
Eben Clough,	6 43	N. A. Huntley,	8 00
D. M. Stevens,	4 11	F. P. Haskins,	12 40
Blake & Wells,	27 08	E. R. Dustin,	2 58
H. C. Baker,	13 00	E. F. Foster,	6 72
A. C. Lovejoy,	5 50	Smith Marston,	5 15
W. D. Fleming, for Shaker Bridge,			3 98
Henry Cummings, for " "			159 68
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			\$312 45

BREAKING ROADS.

Bills 1877-78.		John Dresser,	\$6 77
Lorenzo Carrier,	\$5 27	E. R. Dustin,	14 00
D. G. Dustin,	6 90	J. H. Stevens,	3 35
F. L. Avery,	1 87	E. R. Moody,	7 30
Eli Story,	12 60	B. W. Clough,	13 35
J. H. Tupper,	2 10	F. P. Haskins,	7 50
H. A. Nichols,	4 00	J. H. Tupper,	2 10
Bills 1878-79.		F. M. Brown,	1 40
N. Purmort,	5 00	J. A. Little,	16 64
L. B. Purmort,	7 10	J. B. Thomas,	6 90
D. C. Avery,	9 70	Ezra Day,	3 60
D. G. Dustin,	19 00		
Eben Clough,	3 23		\$159 68

SCHOOL MONEY.

District No. 1, E. B. Huse,	\$588 14
2, M. S. Perley,	100 42
3, Ira G. Webster,	83 96
4, J. C. Pattee, in part,	40 00
6, John Dresser,	121 34
7, Hial Follansbee,	109 00
9, T. J. Carlton,	175 05
10, Henry White,	128 68
11, William Walcott,	189 47
12, F. W. Smith,	115 87
13, John Bradford,	305 83
14, W. S. Fellows,	91 90
15, Hilliard Church, in part,	62 00
16, J. H. Stevens,	72 81
17, J. Z. Gordon, in part,	30 00
18, H. C. Baker,	110 48
E. A. Washburn, Springfield,	6 78
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	\$2331 73

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid C. O. Barney, printing 1878 Reports,	\$26 45
J. M. Nelson, 2 Mattresses for tramp house,	3 00
F. P. Fisher, reporting births and deaths,	4 50
Val Manahan, " " "	6 25
William Gage, interest,	114 45
Morrill and Silsby, for books,	8 12
S. P. Baker, School house tax,	48 00
Cole and Tilden, Road Scraper,	6 00
J. H. Stevens, 3 guide boards,	3 00
J. F. Jones, School house tax,	98 32
B. F. Pettengill, putting up guide posts,	75
D. H. Harvey, sawing lumber from town farm,	5 09
John Bradford, draw for Shaker bridge,	100 00
D. Woodbury, ladder for bridge,	65
G. W. Burnham & Co., wood and oil,	2 20
D. S. Sargent, repairing scraper,	90
Pattee & Currier, rent of office,	15 00
Wm. Walcott, building and furnishing tramp house,	34 00
J. F. Bryant, postage,	1 24
A. A. Cox, drawing lumber,	2 00
Sanborn Davis, over tax 1877,	4 65
S. Horton " "	75
J. G. Spencer, taking care of lamps in bridge,	17 00
" " freight on scraper,	25
" " taking boat to Shaker bridge,	25
" " wood for office,	50
A. M. Bryant, expense on Reports,	2 00
Pattee & Currier, oil, stationery, etc.,	4 93
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	\$510 25

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid J. G. Spencer, Selectman,	\$100 00
J. H. Stevens, "	45 00
J. S. Pillsbury, "	40 00
F. P. Fisher, S. S. Committee,	70 00

J. F. Bryant, Town Clerk,	24 00
Wyman Pattee, Treasurer,	20 00
Wallace Putnam, Coilector,	90 00
J. F. Jones, Collector 1876-77,	75 00
A. M. Bryant, Auditor,	5 00
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	\$469 00

PAID ON NOTES.

Rachael Codman, endorsed,	\$20 00
Laura Cogswell,	20 00
Rachael Codman,	30 00
Mary S. Blake, paid in full,	1349 12
Betsey Goodrich,	343 07
Mariam Webster,	317 30
B. C. Leach,	3058 96
Julia A. Withington,	105 20
Laura Cogswell,	324 04
Lydia J. Colby,	254 92
Betsey A. Barnard,	413 60
W. W. Currier,	284 75
Val. Manahan,	79 24
Jane R. Bean,	386 70
Lucinda Burnham.	84 95
A. V. Huntoon,	234 23
Sylvia P. Skinner,	224 42
Miriam Currier,	217 69
Nath'l Howe,	406 98
David Noyes,	148 23
Uri Perley,	1511 79
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	\$9815 19

RECAPITULATION.

Amount received by Treasurer,	\$22,153 60
Paid State Tax,	\$1816 00
County Tax,	2501 65
Overseer of Poor,	1325 00
Damage on Sheep,	7 00

Damage on Highways,	125 00
Water Troughs,	14 12
Bounties,	10 40
Repairing Highways,	986 29
Materials for “	312 45
Breaking Roads,	159 68
School Money,	2331 73
Miscellaneous Bills,	510 25
Town Officers,	469 00
Paid on Notes,	9815 19
Cash in Treasurer's hands,	1769 84

\$22,153 60

ABATEMENTS 1876.

A. H. White,	\$1 75	C. McConnell,	\$1 75
Wm. Severance,	2 30	G. W. Wilkins,	1 75
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		\$7 55	

ABATEMENTS 1877.

L. M. Copp,	\$8 46	J. Dustin,	\$1 55
J. McGowen,	1 55	Orrin Morgan,	1 55
Wm. Severance,	2 29	Orson Clough,	2 57
Henry Quimby,	1 60	Orrin Heath,	2 57
D. S. Elkins,	1 60	H. O. Day,	2 55
W. R. Bates,	1 55	<hr/>	
		\$27 84	

ABATEMENTS 1878.

M E. Pillsbury,	\$1 65	J. W. Dustin,	\$1 71
Adin White,	1 65	E. A. Choate,	1 65
Orson Clough,	1 65	Levi Davis,	1 00
B. F. Williams,	1 65	Jerry Driscoll,	1 65
H. F. Eastman,	1 65	<hr/>	
		\$14 26	

OVERTAX 1877.

Herbert Bailey,	\$12 40	J. B. Valentine,	\$12 00
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		\$24 40	

OVERTAX 1878.

Herbert Bailey,	\$3 30	Nellie Horton,	\$4 95
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			\$8 25

NOTES WITH INTEREST ADDED AGAINST THE TOWN.

Emily C. Clark,	\$255 22	Julia A. Heath,	\$673 72
Rachael Codman,	474 15	D. N. Ladd,	139 26
Rose S. Fogg,	11 83	Val. Manahan,	107 12
Rebecca B. Noyes,	81 56	Miriam Currier,	1499 68
Belinda M. Stevens,	179 33	H. D. Heath,	1247 73
J. M. Nelson, Treas.	73 48	G. W. Seaver,	84 47
Emma F. Clough,	291 20	Hannah Seaver,	84 94
Henry Morse,	518 27	Eleanor Morse,	80 66
A. C. Jones,	828 30	C. H. Webster,	400 00
J. F. Stockbridge,	325 00	Lucy Sanderson,	400 00
B. C. Leach,	3058 96	Laura Cogswell,	290 00
Julian C. Withington,	105 20	W. W. Currier,	284 75
Betsey A. Barnard,	413 60	Jane R. Bean,	386 70
Lucinda Burnham,	84 95	A. V. Huntoon,	234 23
Val. Manahan,	79 24	Sylvia McKenney,	224 42
Miriam Currier,	217 69		<hr/>
			\$13,135 66

Of the above notes \$255.22 is at 6 per cent. interest, \$2741.80
at 5 per cent, \$10138.64 at 4 per cent.

OVERSEER OF THE POOR REPORT.

William Walcott, Overseer.

Dr.

Rec'd of G. F. Andrews,	\$22 18
Grafton County,	463 95
Town Treasurer,	1325 00
Town of Franklin,	81 71
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	\$1,892 84

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COUNTY POOR.

Paid for Cortland Hull,	\$89 70
Lucinda G. Moody,	82 74
Thomas Seaver,	72 00

B. L. Thurston,	52 00
G. W. Wilkins,	13 40
D. S. Elkins,	44 18
Julia A. Hammond,	35 58
Frank Cutting,	6 00
James Flanders, at tramp house,	8 05
Julia Roberson,	3 00
F. A. Heath,	54 00
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	\$460 65

FOR TOWN.

Paid for Samuel Stevens,	\$137 68
Ellen Powers,	112 00
Warren Cross,	98 36
Moses Webster,	79 40
Mary P. Roberts, 14 months rent,	46 67
Hira Follansbee,	29 40
Asa Strate,	78 00
Mrs. D. C. Choate,	20 85
Ann E. Seaver,	45 00
Tramps,	12 94
B. L. Thurston, 1878	8 00
G. F. Andrews, expenses 1878	9 85
E. L. Merrill, for Franklin,	81 71
L. M. Copp, for Orange,	61 80
William Walcott, services,	40 00
“ “ expenses,	35 75
Town Treasurer,	463 95
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	\$1361 36

RECAPITULATION.

Amount received by Overseer,	\$1,892 84
Paid for County,	\$460 65
Town,	1361 36
Cash in hands of C. G. Morgan, Tender to	
Harry Huse for board of Orrin Morgan,	25 00
Cash in Overseer's hands,	45 83
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	\$1,892 84

LIQUOR AGENCY.

J. S. Lovejoy, Agent, Report.

Cash rec'd for sales, March 1st, 1878 to April 20,	\$96 78
Paid for Liquor,	\$33 05
Agent's Salary,	11 25
Town Treasurer,	52 48
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STOCK ACCOUNT.

Liquors and fixtures on hand March 1st, 1878,	\$176 78
“ “ “ April 25th, 1878,	133 47
Net profit to Town,	9 17

D. N. Ladd, Agent, Report.

Cash rec'd for sales Apr. 25th, 1878, to March 1st, 1879,	\$496 00
Paid for Liquors and fixtures,	\$408 32
Agent's Salary.	63 75
Cash on hand due Town,	23 93
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STOCK ACCOUNT.

Liquors and fixtures rec'd April 25th, 1878.	\$133 47
“ “ on hand March 1st, 1879,	163 80
Net profit to town,	54 26

GAGE FUND.

State of New Hampshire Bonds in hands of Wyman Pattee, Treasurer,	\$2,500 00
Due on Town Farm note in hands of Wyman Pattee, Treasurer,	\$358 81

LIABILITIES MARCH 1, 1879.

Notes with accrued interest,	\$13,135 66
W. D. Fleming outstanding order,	1 00
John Bradford, " "	16 85
School money due District No. 4,	80 56
" " " " 15,	58 72
" " " " 17,	89 82
Due Ellen Powers,	340 00
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	\$13,722 61

AVAILABILITIES.

Cash in hands of Overseer of Poor,	\$45 83
Stock and fixtures of Liquor Agency,	163 80
Cash in hands of D. N. Ladd, Liquor Agent,	23 93
Balance due on Town Farm note above \$750.00	108 81
Due from County,	460 65
" " Orange,	61 80
Due on tax bills of 1872-73-74,	301 87
Due from Collector interest on same,	65 26
Due on tax bill 1875,	21 42
" " " 1876,	60 66
Due from Collector interest on same,	15 24
Due on tax bill 1877,	128 48
Due from Collector interest on same,	10 32
Due on tax bill 1878,	1332 44
Due from Collector interest on same,	8 00
Cash in Treasurer's hands (Powers matter,)	340 00
" " "	1429 84
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	\$4578

Balance above availabilities,	\$9144 26
Town Debt as reported last year,	\$6792 82
<i>Funds not Available to pay Debts with Reported as Availabilities last year.</i>	
Due from U. S. Government,	\$1161 40
Gage Fund in State Bonds,	2500 00
Town Farm note,	750 00
Powers matter,	452 00
Debt in 1878,	\$11,656 22
Debt this year 1879,	\$9144 26
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Debt reduced this year,	\$2,511 96

REPORT OF THE S. S. COMMITTEE.

In making my report to you of the year's work in our schools, I am happy to be able to say that there has been very good progress made in all the districts.

DISTRICT NO. 1.—ENFIELD.

HIGHER DEPARTMENT. Summer term. Miss Mary L. Chellis, teacher. Few teachers are better qualified for the duties of the school room than Miss Chellis. With such a thorough and accurate teacher none but good results could follow.

Miss Lucy A. Leavitt, a teacher of much experience and uniform success, taught the fall term. Miss Leavitt labored hard for the advancement of her scholars, and if they did not learn it was not her fault, but the examination showed that the school had made good advancement during the term.

The winter term was under the instruction of Mr. E. D. Libby. Mr. Libby is a thorough scholar, and he was very successful in instructing his pupils. We were glad to notice that he was master as well as teacher.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT. Miss Lettie J. Nichols taught the summer term. A very pleasant and profitable term. No teacher has a better experience of teaching the children than Miss Nichols.

Fall and winter terms were taught by Miss E. O. Curtice. Miss Curtice is an experienced teacher, and we think gave good satisfaction.

DISTRICT NO 2.—SHAKER HILL.

SUMMER TERM. Miss Nellie F. Huse, teacher. Miss Huse although young and with but little experience as a teacher, displayed many of those qualities which mark the best characteristics of a first class teacher.

WINTER TERM was taught by Miss S. J. Carlton. Miss Carlton is young and without experience. The school at both my visits seemed

very orderly, and the examination at the close of the term was very interesting. The Arithmetic classes deserve special mention.

DISTRICT NO. 3.—JONES HILL.

SUMMER TERM. Miss Mary A. Morey, teacher. Miss Morey understands perfectly the studies required to be taught in public schools and she was liked by all her scholars.

Miss Alice Webster, a teacher of some experience, had charge of the winter term. The examination showed advancement had been made in all of the studies.

DISTRICT NO. 4.—EAST VILLAGE.

SUMMER TERM was taught by Mrs. Etta Currier. This teacher expects her scholars to work and is willing to set the example herself by improving every moment. The school was a *perfect* success.

WINTER TERM was commenced by Miss Mary I. Clough, an excellent teacher, but unfortunately it had to be closed on account of sickness among the scholars.

DISTRICT NO. 6.—EAST HILL.

SUMMER TERM. Miss Linda Nelson, teacher. All that can be said of this school is, that it had one of our best teachers, and therefore the school did well under her instruction.

Two terms by Mr. Albert Stevens. I think he gave good satisfaction. The scholars learned well, and the same good order was displayed in the winter term as in the fall.

DISTRICT NO. 7.—OAK HILL.

SUMMER TERM. Miss Katie Fowler, teacher. This was Miss Fowler's first attempt at teaching. The school was somewhat broken up on account of sickness among the scholars, but the teacher did well, and what scholars did attend regular, made good advancement in all their studies.

WINTER TERM. Taught by Miss Lennie Waldron. On account of the teacher being sick, the school was closed after having been in session eleven weeks. Miss Waldron is a successful and experienced teacher.

DISTRICT NO. 9.—CAMBRIDGEVILLE.

SUMMER TERM. Miss Emma O. Curtis, teacher. Too much can

not be said in praise for this teacher. She labored hard for the good of her school, and her scholars all profited by it.

Miss Nettie L. Bartlett took charge of the Fall term. Miss Bartlett has been a teacher many years and taught with much diligence, and thoroughness. In giving instruction she leaves her scholars in a remarkable degree to depend upon themselves. At the examination at the close of the term all seemed gratified at the result of their labors.

Winter term was under the instruction of Miss Olive Hatch. Miss Hatch tried hard to do her duty, but no teacher can be successful unless the parents lend a helping hand. A lack of union in a district is very detrimental to the advancement of a school.

DISTRICT NO. 10.—GEORGE HILL.

SUMMER TERM. Mrs. Josie White, teacher. This school after having been in session seven weeks closed on account of sickness. Mrs. White always gives good satisfaction wherever she teaches.

Mr. C. H. Page had charge of the Winter term. Mr. Page is a thorough scholar, able and willing to impart his knowledge to others if they are willing to take hold with him.

DISTRICT NO. 11.—ENFIELD CENTRE.

Both Summer and Fall terms were in the charge of Miss Ida M. Purmort. We presume that this teacher took more interest in this school on account of being a resident of the district, and was therefore acquainted with all of the scholars. The appearance of the various classes at the examination at the close of both terms showed that they had not only made good use of that time but had received the services of a faithful teacher.

The Winter term was taught by Miss R. R. Kempton, an old and experienced teacher.

DISTRICT NO. 12.—NORTH END.

SUMMER TERM. Mrs. Abbie B. Waterman, teacher. Mrs. Waterman's abilities as a teacher are well understood. Entire satisfaction was expressed by several of the inhabitants of the district that their money had been profitably expended.

Miss Ida E. O'Hara took charge of the Winter term. This lady came to her school with an excellent reputation, having taught several terms in other districts with good success. She labored hard here, and the interest she took in her school is worthy of note.

DISTRICT NO. 13.—CHURCH FAMILY SHAKERS.

SUMMER TERM. Miss Eudora Arnold, teacher. Miss Arnold has taught this school several terms, and has always given good satisfaction. The order was excellent throughout the term.

WINTER TERM. Teacher, James G. Russell. Mr. Russell is an energetic teacher and seemed to take great interest in his scholars and to spare no pains for their advancement. This school is still in session.

DISTRICT NO. 14—JOHN E. GILE'S.

The school during the Summer and Fall terms was under the instruction of Miss Sarah Winship. Miss Winship is very successful in presenting knowledge to her scholars, so as to make it interesting and plain. The lessons were learned with thoroughness and recited with dispatch.

WINTER TERM. Taught by Miss Flora C. Clough.

DISTRICT NO. 15.—WEST ENFIELD.

SUMMER TERM. Miss Ina Gile, teacher. Miss Gile taught a good school and therefore must have given good satisfaction to her employers. The discipline was good, and her examination indicated perseverance and thoroughness on the part of both teacher and scholars.

FALL TERM. Miss Cora Morey, teacher. This was Miss Morey's first attempt at teaching, and we did not expect from her what we should from an older and experienced teacher. There were but a few scholars at the examination, making it impossible to get a correct idea of the school. Order seemed to be lacking.

WINTER TERM. Frank O. Chellis, teacher. This school is still in session, and doing very well.

DISTRICT NO. 17.—FISH MARKET.

SUMMER TERM. Miss Ida E. O'Hara, teacher. This school should have kept eight or nine weeks, but when it had been in session four weeks, it was brought to a close for some reason or other, I don't know what. The school was doing nicely when I visited it.

'Behold how good a thing it is,
And how becoming well
To gather such as brethren are,
In unity to dwell.'

WINTER TERM. L. B. Purmort, teacher. The district did well in employing the services of this teacher. The scholars all seemed to be interested in their studies.

DISTRICT NO. 18.—SOUTH FAMILY SHAKERS.

Both terms were taught by Miss Sally Ann Tucker. A good, faithful and wide awake teacher, and one that instills the right kind of knowledge into her pupils minds. Her school is a *very* interesting one to visit.

CONCLUSION.

On account of sickness I had no time to visit some of the winter schools but once.

Thanking you all that have co-operated with me for the good of the schools, I have the honor to submit my report.

FRANKLIN P. FISHER,
S. S. Committee.

ROLL OF HONOR.

†Lillian M. Follansbee, †Josie C. Eastman, George C. Kimball, Ernest H. Kimball, James E. Thurstin, George D. Thurstin, Bennie H. Thurstin, †Ella H. Thurstin, †Leona E. Thurstin, Walter M. Moody, Leon Andrews, Harry Dennison, John Dennison, Sherman French, †Lula Bryant, †Edith Bryant, Mabel Harvey, Annie Huntley, Katie Walcott, †Willis E. Brown, Fannie S. Perley, Archie Miller, Fred Bickford, Alice M. Currier, Ada M. Chandler, †Mabel P. Doten, †Stella M. Huse, Mabel J. Ladd, Esther A. Pattee, Katie E. Wells, George Gile, Burton F. Gile, Albert Follansbee, Fred H. Follansbee, George Follansbee, Kate E. Gile, Carrie G. Dresser, Belle M. Dresser, Wilson D. White.

Name, shows pupil has attended one term without being absent or tardy. † shows attended two terms.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

No. of Districts.	Terms of School.	Length in weeks.	No. of Scholars.	Average attendance.	Instances of tardiness.	No. not absent one half day.	No. of visits by citizens.	No. of Visits by S. S. Com.	Wages per month, including board.
1	Summer, higher department,	10*							
	" Fall,	9							
	" Winter,	10							
	" Summer, primary department,	10	40	97.5	159	27	11	2	26.00
	" Fall,	9	42	38	705	7	10	2	28.00
	" Winter,	10	29	22	167	2	14	1	30.00
2	Summer,	9	8	7.09	1	1	14	1	13.00
	" Winter,	11	9	7	8	2	41	2	18.00
3	Summer,	7	4	3	7	0	9	2	17.00
	" Winter,	12	6	4.27	13	0	12	2	18.00
4	Summer,	*							
	" Winter,								
6	Summer,	9	7	6.6	18	2	11	2	10.00
	" Fall,	10	11	8.88	23	0	11	2	22.00
	" Winter,	12.8	14	9.58	10	1	8	1	23.00
7	Summer,	9	13	81.81	39	1	12	2	14.00
	" Winter,	11	11	90.27	21	1	6	1	20.00
9	Summer,	*							
	" Fall,								
	" Winter,								
10	Summer,	7	9	5	2	0	1	1	
	" Winter,	11	15	13	53	0	16	2	
11	Summer,	9	23	21.5	13	9	4	2	24.00
	" Fall,	9	22	19.5	9	3	12	2	24.00
	" Winter,	9	20	16.11	16	5	23	2	28.00
12	Summer,	10	14	10.31	1	1	4	2	16.00
	" Winter,	14	13	10.07	12	0	13	2	20.00
13	Summer,	14*							
	" Winter,								
14	Summer,	8	5	4.12	0	0	6	2	19.00
	" Fall,	8	8	7.37	7	0	3	2	20.00
	" Winter,	6	9	8.6	8	6	8	0	19.60
15	Summer,	*							
	" Fall,								
	" Winter,								
17	Summer,	4	19	16.45	4	8	9	2	20.00
	" Winter,	12	19	15	31	15	8	2	31.33 $\frac{1}{3}$
18	Summer,	*							
	" Winter,								

*Register not returned.

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